

Appl. No. 10/060,360
Amendment dated July 14, 2003
Reply to Office Action of April 14, 2003

Amendments to the Specification:

Please delete the paragraph bridging pages 8 and 9 and replace this paragraph with the following in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.

Another advantageous feature of polyurethane formulations is shear resistance, as indicated in U.S. Patent No. 5,908,358. Shear resistance measures the damage to a cover from the impact of a club with sharp grooves, which can tear away bits of the cover. In contrast, cut resistance measures the resistance to damage of the cover from a mishit shot, where the leading edge of the iron cuts directly into the cover. Shear resistance of polyurethane formulations ~~vary~~ varies, and the method of U.S. Patent No. 5,908,358 is one method that can be used to improve the shear resistance of a polyurethane formulation.